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| Application Number | 10/810,396 |
| Confirmation Number | 8981 |
| Attorney Docket Number | 10010466-3 |
| Filing Date | 03/25/2004 |
| First Named Inventor | Patrick Perkins |
| Examiner | Kien Tuan Nguyen |
| Group Art | 2881 |
| Title | <i>Super alloy ionization chamber for reactive samples</i> |

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated September 30, 2004, for which a one-month period for response was given making this response due on or before October 30, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

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PATENT APPLICATION
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 1010466-3

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Patrick Perkins

Examiner: Kiet Tuan Nguyen

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

(X) Response/Amendment Petition to extend time to respond
 () New fee as calculated below Supplemental Declaration
 (X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail stop Non-Fee Amendments") (fee \$)
 () Other: _____

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | |
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| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | | MINUS | | = 0 | X \$18 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | | MINUS | | = 0 | X \$88 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$300 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$110.00 | 2ND MONTH \$430.00 | 3RD MONTH \$980.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1530.00 | | \$ 0 |
| OTHER FEES | | | | | | \$ 0 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$ 0 |

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 50-1078. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1078 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-1078 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick Perkins

By _____

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